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"Hey, what an Illusion! Better than Disney! And the actress that played the dead lady was terrific. She asked us where we were from, I mean after that whole Chuckie Boy Charlie schtick with all the..."

God she made that real," the woman said, "especially the moaning. My eyes were watering. She asked where we were from, and we told her Southern Jersey, and she said she was from Wilmington, Delaware, not that far."

"And then poof, she was gone." He slapped his hands together. "You gotta tell us how you manage that! I mean, we paid our money, and'll spend the rest of the week dropping big bucks at the casino, and won't tell anybody else, so give us a break!"

William Sparklehorse, tourleader, shrugged, "No actress." And as the couple sarcastically laughed and protested and scoffed, he kept injecting "No actress" in a flat irritating tone, like a child.

"Listen! Where we're from we got more bullshitters and ballbreakers per square block than you got on this whole freakin reservation!" the New Jersey man finally radiated.